

# CARBOFURAN

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Shipping Name: Carbamate, pesticides, solid, toxic

Other Names: Furadan

Furadan 3G Furodan



- **WARNING!** POISON! PROLONGED SKIN CONTACT, SWALLOWING THE MATERIAL OR BREATHING THE DUST CAN KILL YOU!
  - Firefighting gear (including SCBA) does not provide adequate protection. If exposure occurs, remove and isolate gear immediately and thoroughly decontaminate personnel

#### Hazards:

- Irritating to skin, eyes, nose and lungs
- Combustion products include toxic nitrogen oxides

# **Awareness and Operational Level Training** Response:

- Do not put yourself in danger by entering a contaminated area to rescue a victim
- Stay upwind
- Determine the extent of the problem
- Isolate the area of release or fire and deny entry
- For container exposed to fire evacuate the area in all directions because of the risk of explosion
- Notify local health and fire officials and pollution control agencies
- If material or contaminated runoff enters waterways, notify downstream users of potentially contaminated water

### **Description:**

- White solid
- No odor
- Sinks in water and is insoluble in water
- Flammable
- May also be shipped and stored as a paste or a suspension in water
- A carbamate insecticide

## **Operational Level Training Response:**

RELEASE, NO FIRE:

- Cover material to protect from wind, rain or spray
- Prevent contaminated runoff from entering sewers and waterways if it can be done safely well ahead of the release FIRE:
- Material does not easily burn; fight surrounding fire with an agent appropriate for the burning material
- Cool exposed containers with large quantities of water from unattended equipment or remove intact containers if it can be done safely
- If cooling streams are ineffective (unvented container distorts, bulges or shows any other signs of expanding), withdraw immediately to a secure location

#### First Aid:

- Do not put yourself in danger by entering a contaminated area to rescue a victim
- Provide Basic Life Support/CPR as needed
- Decontaminate the victim as follows:
  - Inhalation remove the victim to fresh air and give oxygen if available
  - Skin remove and isolate contaminated clothing (including shoes) and wash skin with soap and large volumes of water for 15 minutes
  - Eye rinse eyes with large volumes of water or saline for 15 minutes
  - Swallowed do not make the victim vomit
- Seek medical attention
- Victims should be examined by a physician as soon as possible
- Toxic effects may be delayed
- Note to physician: is a carbamate insecticide: if symptoms indicate the initial antidote is atropine

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